

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: **Paul William Lefley et al.**      Docket No.: **LDWS-0005-US**  
Serial No.: **10/563,141**      Group Art Unit: **Unknown**  
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TITLE: **A SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR CHARGING A BATTERY**

Mail Stop Missing Parts  
Commissioner for Patents  
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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Sir:

Introductory Comments

Prior to initial examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 8 of this paper.